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COMICS

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SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

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vs.
**MECHA
SONIC™**



SONIC CD
ADAPTATION!

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

"GO AHEAD...
MECHA MY
DAY!"

PART 1

WILL YOU
PLEASE HOLD
STILL? THIS IS A
VERY DELICATE
PROCEDURE!

TWO
WORDS, ROTOR...
BORE-RING!

IT'S
STARTING
TO COME
IN...

AHHH...



OHH... WHEN DID
WE GET ZE SCI-FI
CHANNEL?

RANGE: 4725
WEIGHT: 1564
WIDTH: 74125

HUSH, ANTOINE...
BACK OFF THE
LENS A BIT,
ROTOR!

LENS?.. HOLY
FRIJOLES, IT'S
A CAMERA?

YES INDEED... THE FIBER
OPTIC SONICAM IS NOW MOUNT-
ED IN YOUR SNEAKER!

PRETTY RADICOOL,
BIG GUY! HOW'S
THE RECEPTION?

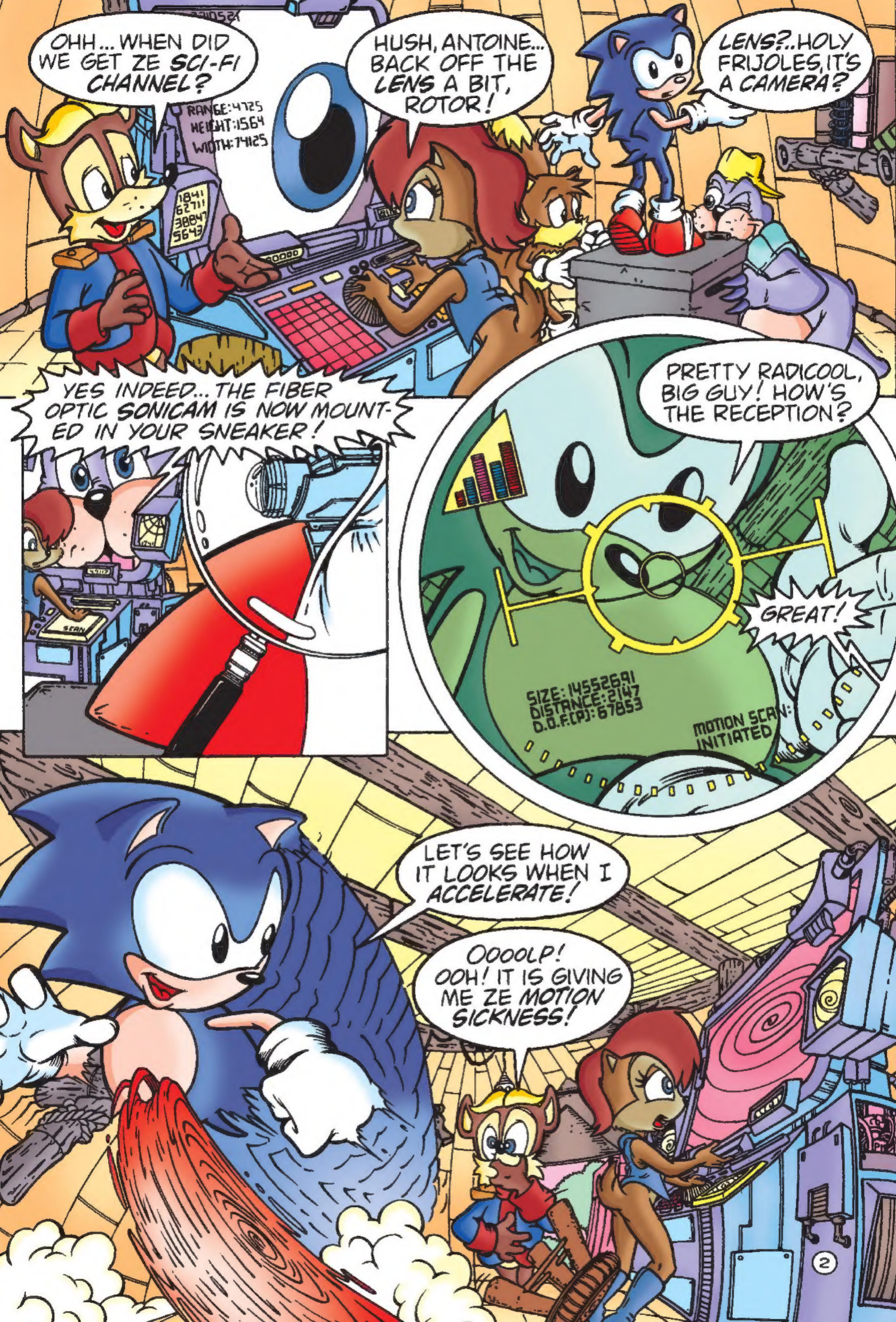
LET'S SEE HOW
IT LOOKS WHEN I
ACCELERATE!

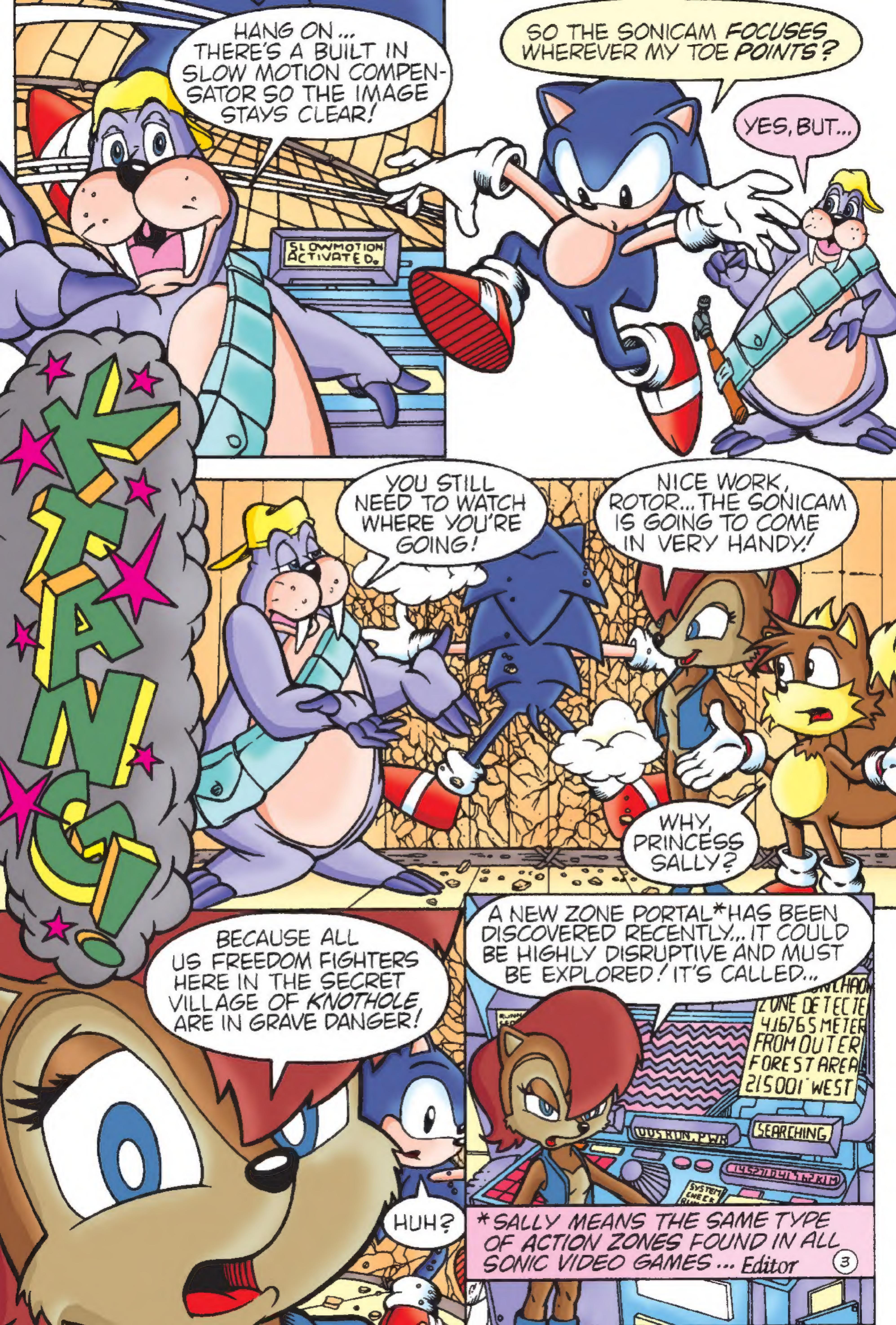
OOOOLP!
OEH! IT IS GIVING
ME ZE MOTION
SICKNESS!

SIZE: 145526.91
DISTANCE: 2147
D.O.F(P): 67853

MOTION SCAN:
INITIATED

GREAT!







To:
Archie COMICS

**U.S.
POST**

WHOA! TAMPERING
WITH THE MAIL IS
A FEDERAL OFFENSE!

"DEAR SONIC--YOU'RE MY HERO! I LOVE IT WHEN YOU KICK ROBO-BUTT! ENCLOSED IS MY PHOTO. XXXOO-AMY ROSE..."BAH!"

AWW...A CUTE LITTLE GIRLIE HEDGEHOG!

WE'LL SEE HOW CUTE SHE IS WHEN SHE MEETS... **HIM!**

OH, I WOULD AND WILL! HERE... BRING ME THE CHILD WHO LIVES AT THIS ADDRESS!

HA! HA! NOW TO BROADCAST A MESSAGE TO THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS...

GREETINGS! THIS IS YOUR LORD AND MASTER IVO ROBOTNIK!

GOOD THING WE'VE GOT A WIDE SCREEN TV!

BZZZT CLANK!

GASP! Y-YOU WOULDN'T...

AFFIRMATIVE

MOST AMUSING, SONIC! ALMOST AS FUNNY AS THE THOUGHT OF YOU CHICKENING OUT FROM RUNNING ON THE COLLISION CHAOS ZONE!

WHO YOU CALLING CHICKEN, FLABIO? I'M THERE!!!

NO, SONIC! IT'S A TRAP FOR SURE!

WHY, PRINCESS SALLY... ISN'T THIS A FACE YOU CAN TRUST? HAVE I EVER LIED TO YOU?

NO AND YES,
DISRESPECTIVELY!

SURELY YOU DON'T THINK--
OH, WAIT... I'VE JUST BEEN
HANDED A BULLETIN!
WHAT THE ?!...

THAT'S NO BULLETIN!

YOU'RE RIGHT! IT'S LITTLE AMY ROSE, THE HEDGEHOG--SONIC'S BIGGEST FAN... AND MY SMALLEST HOSTAGE! SAY SOMETHING BEFORE WE SIGN OFF, CHILD!

HELP!

WHY, YOU :snort: OILY SONOFA :woof:



SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

IS OUT OF
ORDER!

"GO AHEAD...
MECHA MY
DAY!"

PART 2

YES...
LET'S HOLD A
PROPER MEETING
HERE!

SALLY

ANTOINE

SONIC! WE INTEND TO
RESCUE HER...WE'RE JUST
NOT SURE THAT RUSHING INTO
UNKNOWN DANGER IS THE
WAY TO START!

C'MON, SALLY...
DANGER IS MY
MIDDLE NAME!

SONIC...

BESIDES, WE
HAVE OUR VERY OWN
TRAINED SPY WHO WILL
SCOPE OUT THE SITUATION
FROM THE AIR...RIGHT,
TAILS?

M-M-ME?

YES! FLY ON
AHEAD AND GET US
AN AERIAL OVERVIEW
OF THIS COLLISION
CHAOS ZONE!

STOP! NO! THERE
MUST BE A MOTION--
AND A SECOND...THEN
A COMMITTEE...

:SIGH: ROYALTY
AIN'T WHAT IT
USED TO BE... I
WONDER IF PRIN-
CESS LEIA HAS
DAYS LIKE THIS.

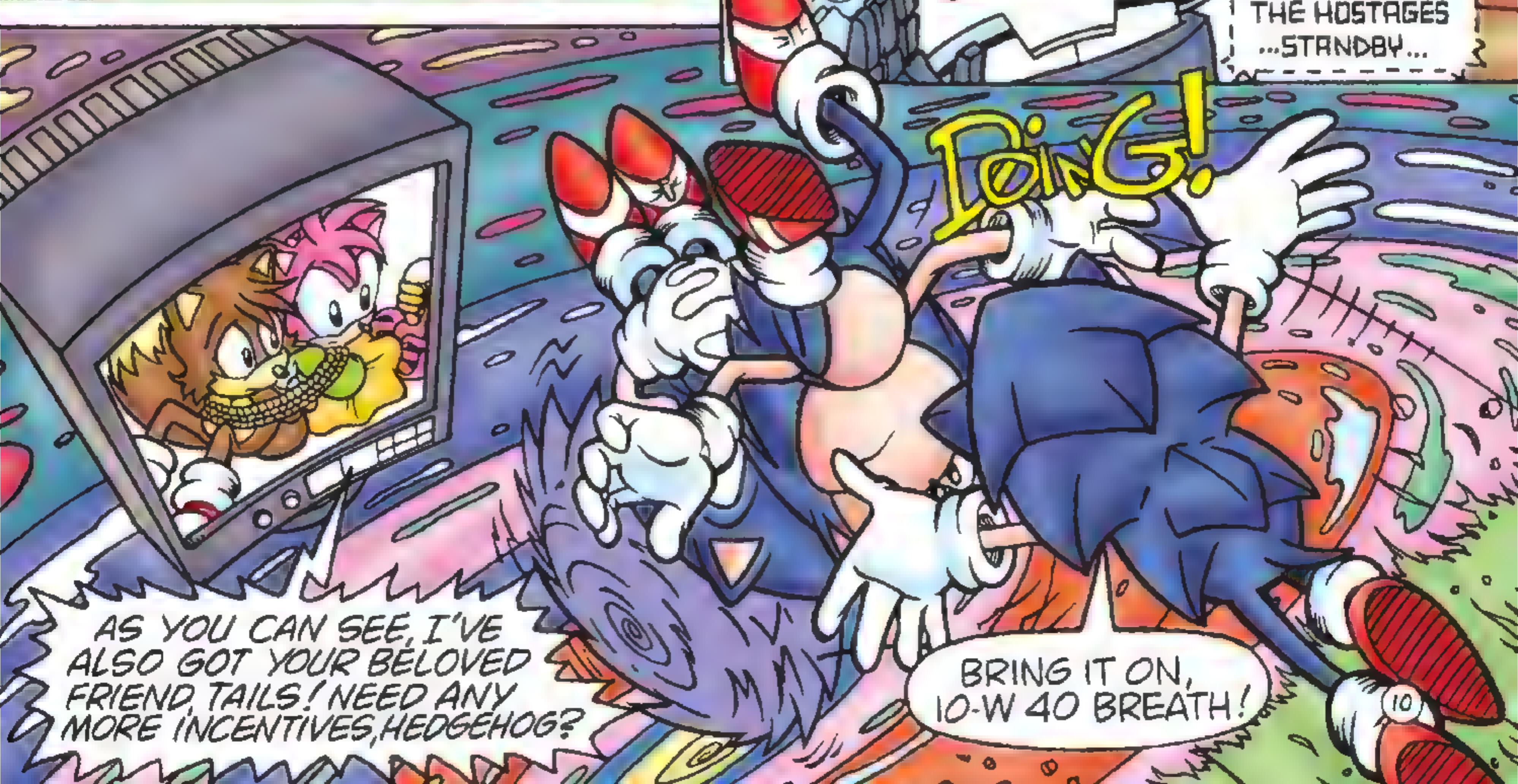
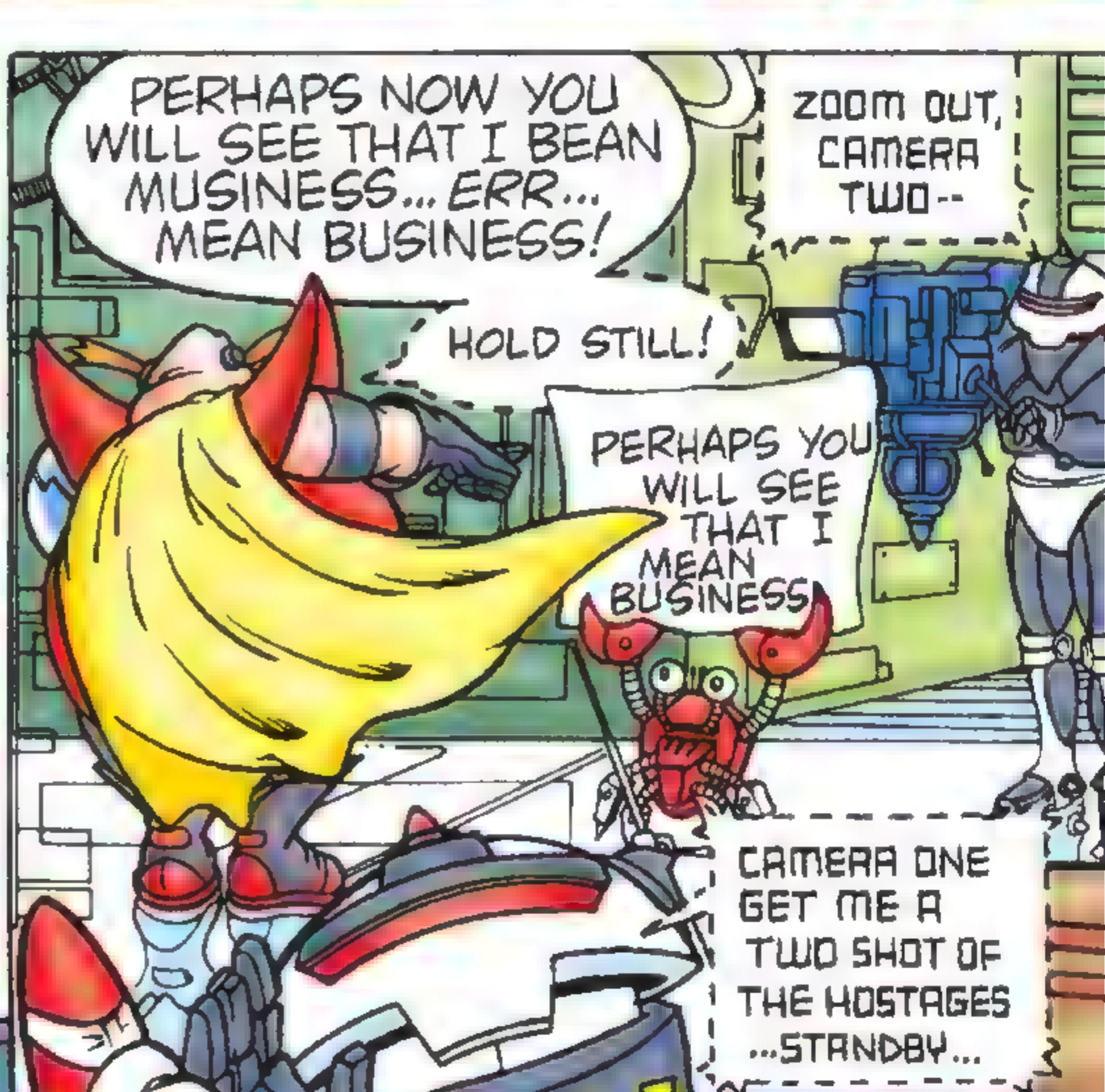
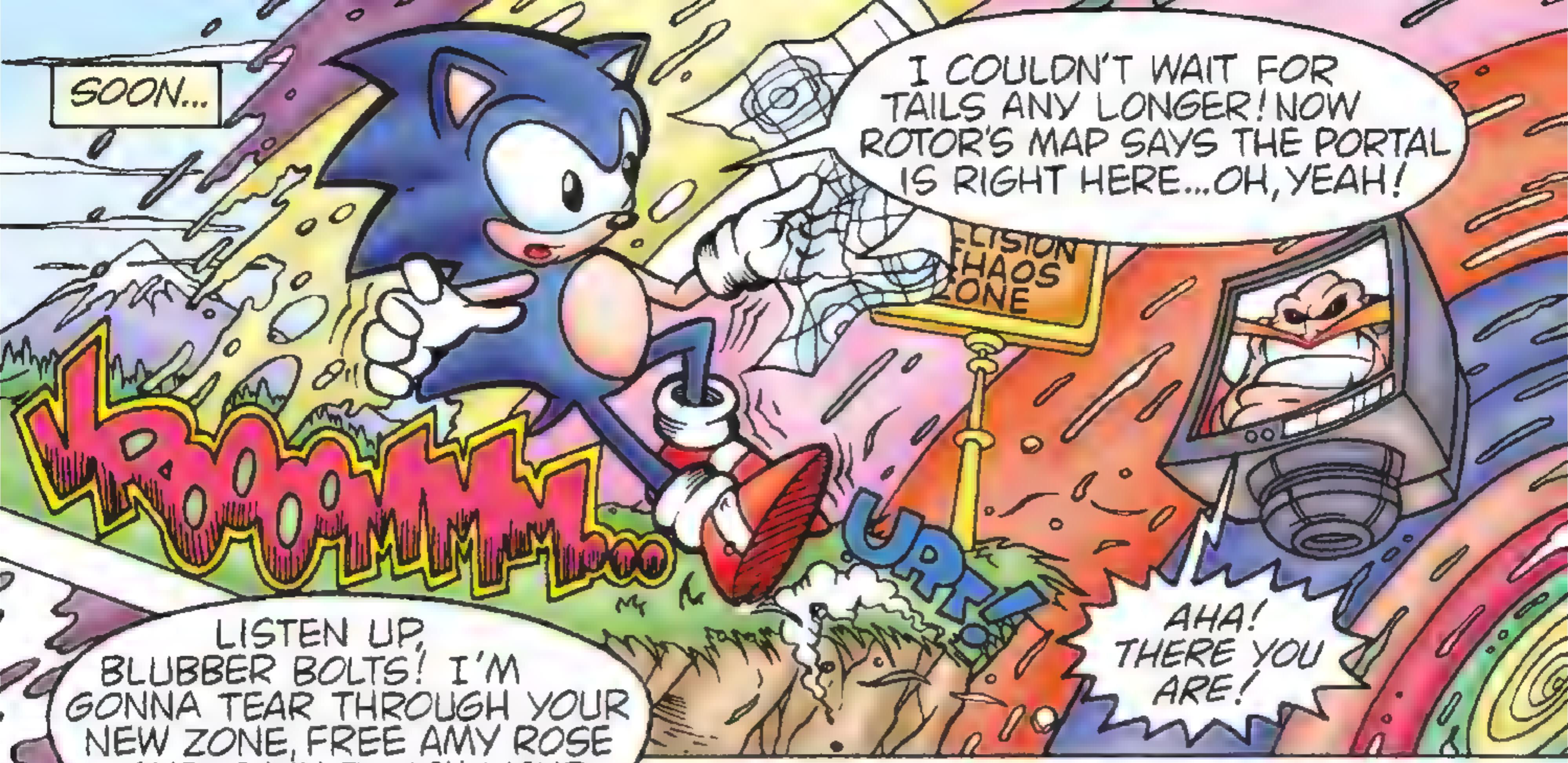
AT LAST! I
FINALLY GET A
CHANCE TO SHOW
MY STUFF!

ACCORDING TO
SALLY, THE ZONE IS
WEST OF ROBOTNIK'S
NEW FACTORY!

I'LL SWOOP
DOWN LOW TO
AVOID BEING
SEEN...

LOW SWOOP MANEUVER JUST AS YOU PRE-
dicted...WE HAVE THE TWO-TAILED FOX!

BRING HIM IN,
SWATBOT!



ALL RIGHT!
THERE'S NOTHING
LIKE CUTTIN'
LOOSE!

AT THAT
MOMENT:

ROBOTNIK TO
DOOFY DUPLICATE...COME
IN, DUPLICATE...
SIGH: THAT'S
YOU, SNIVELY. YOU
IMBECILE!!!

OH! RIGHT, MASTER...

...BEGIN "OPERATION
BURNED BRIDGES!"

MEANWHILE:

THE SONICAM'S
FUNCTIONING
BEAUTIFULLY!

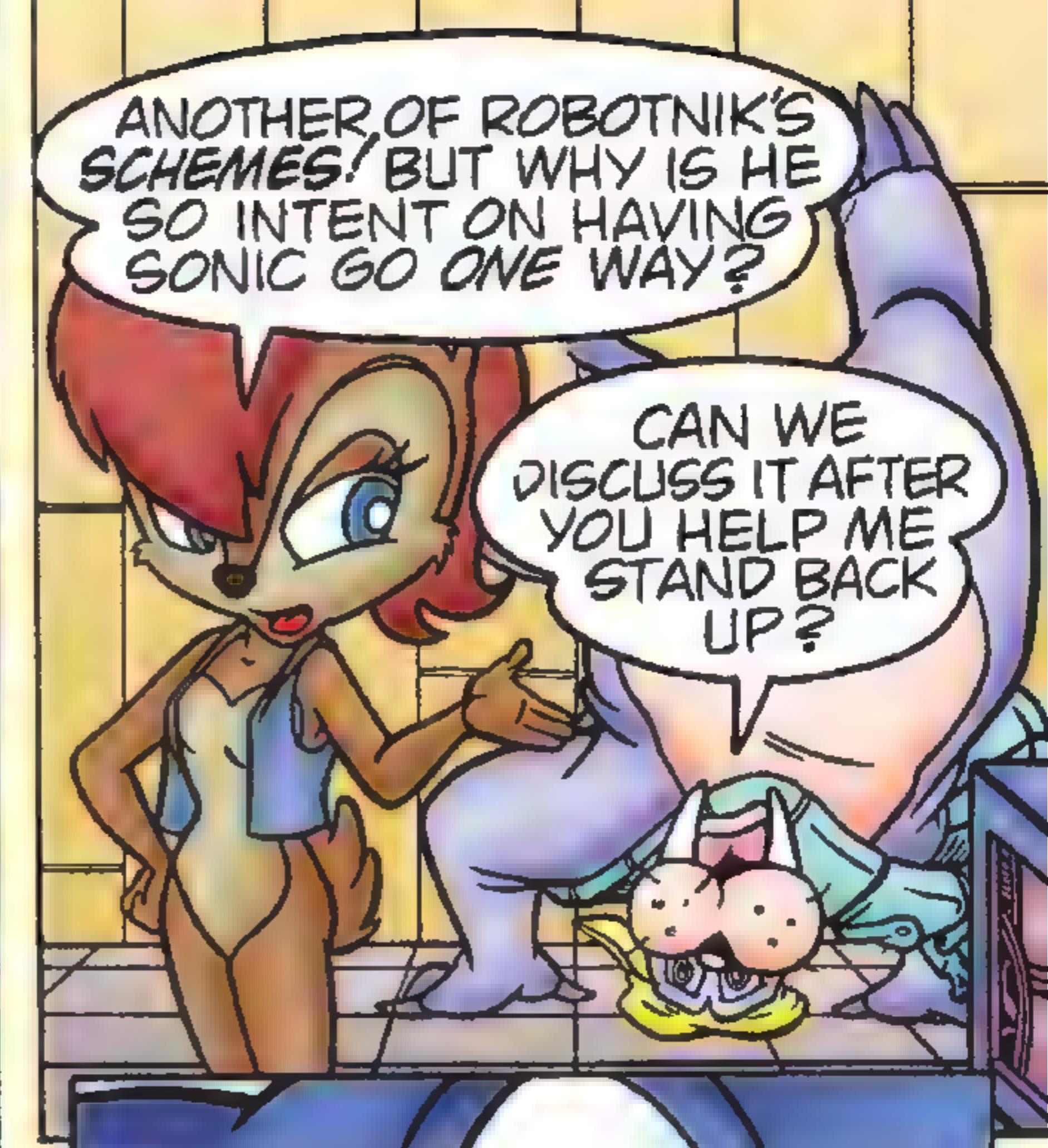
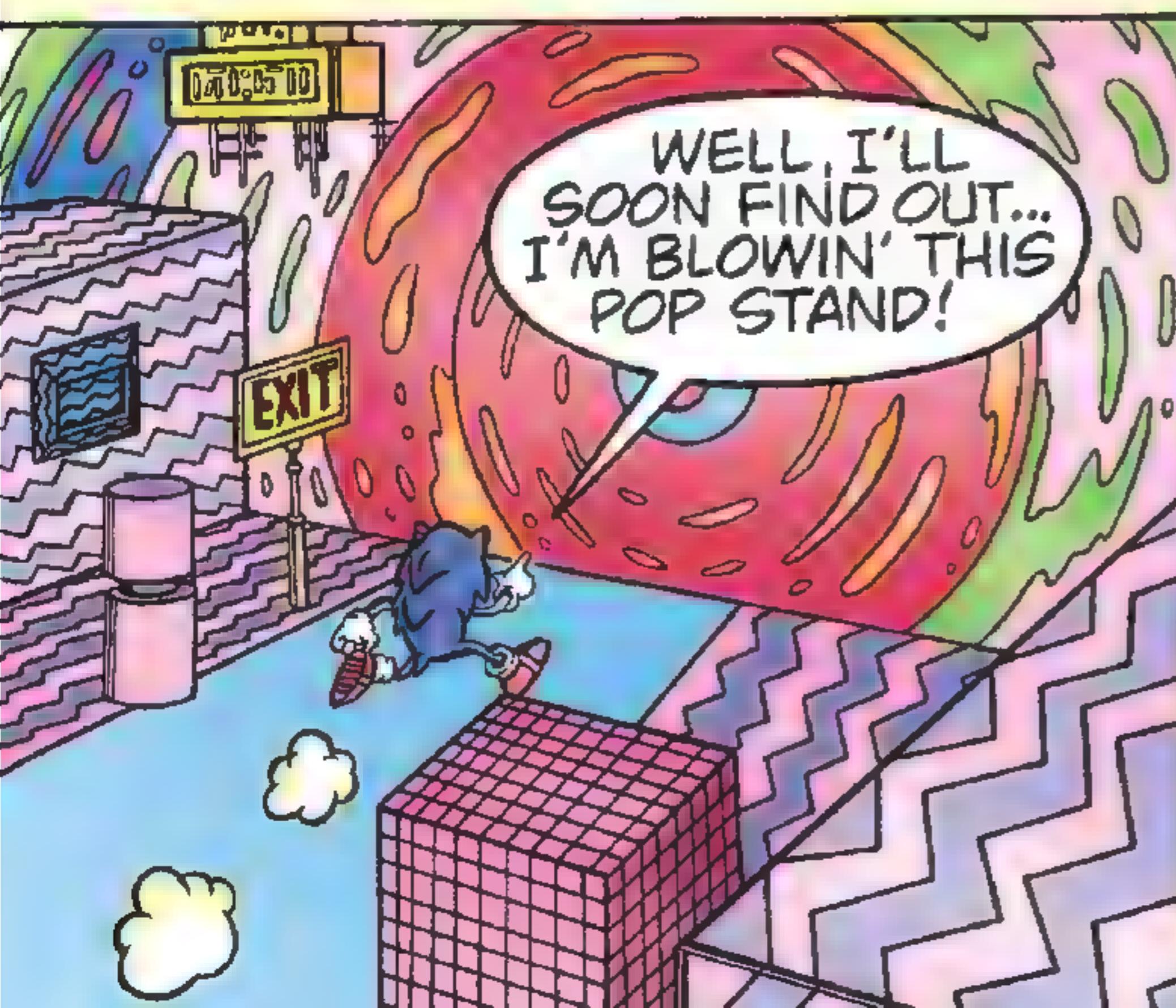
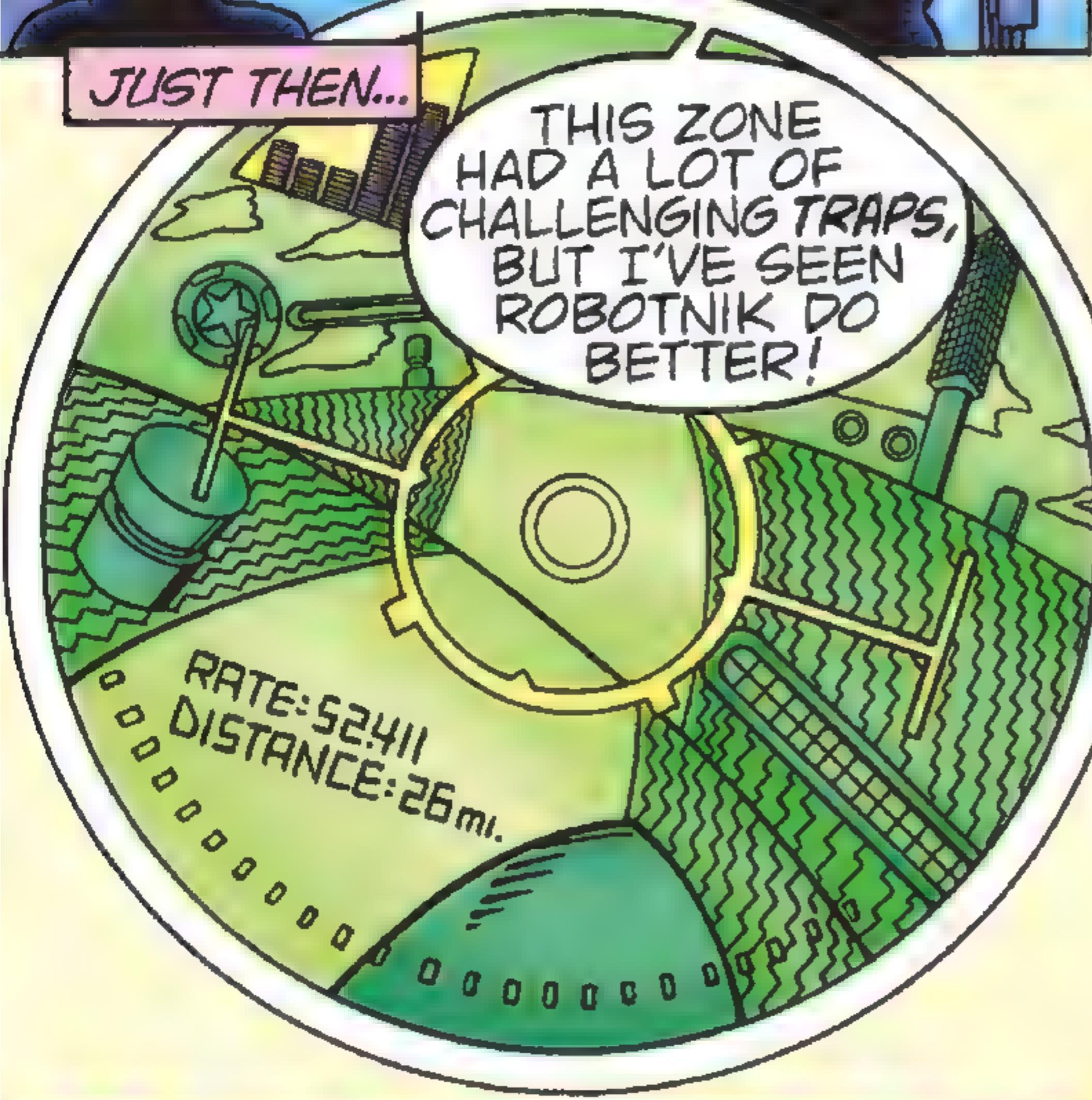
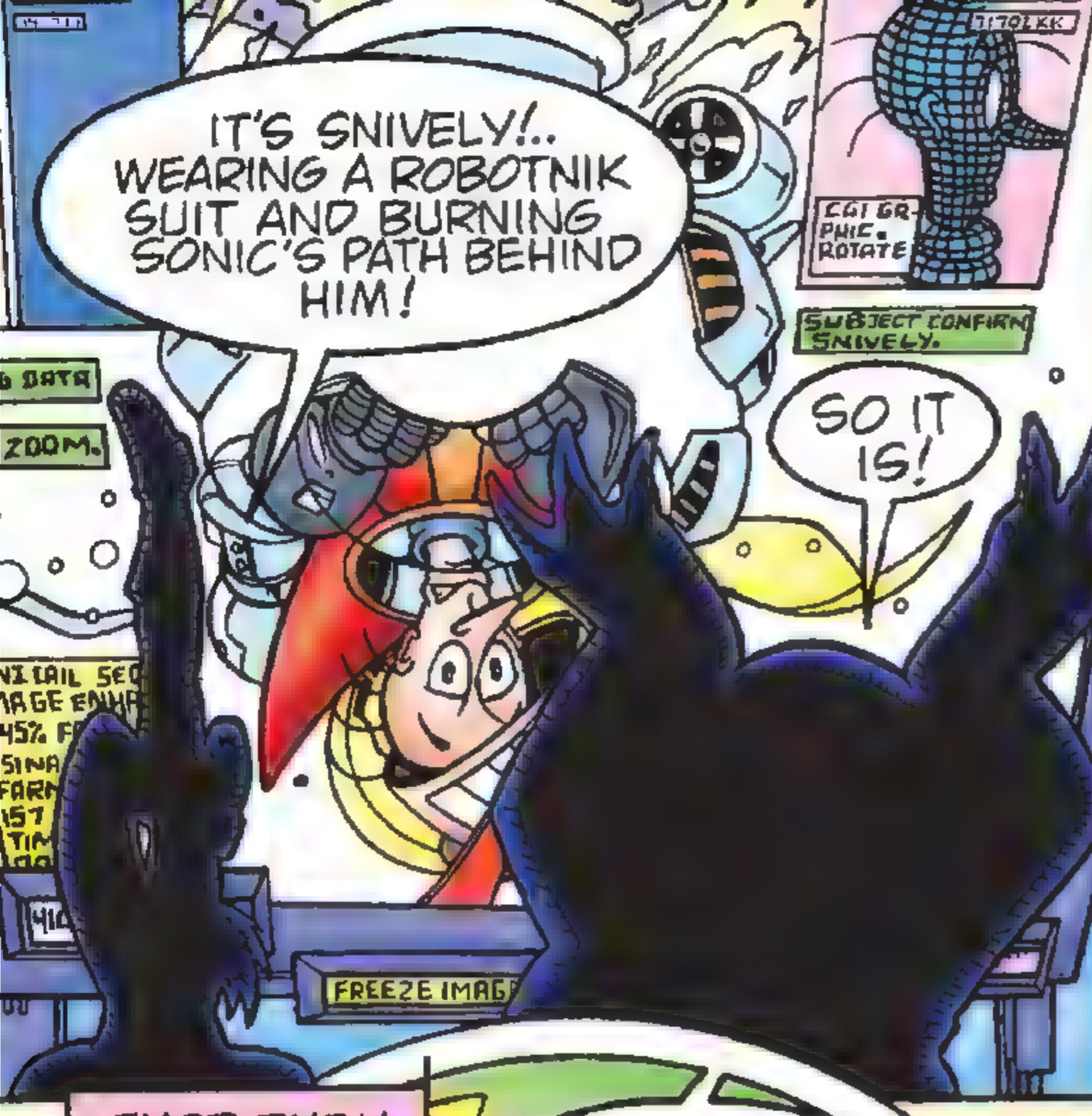
YES, BUT
WHAT'S THAT
BEHIND
SONIC?

WHERE?

THERE! YOU
SEE IT BEST
WHEN HIS LEG
EXTENDS... I'LL
FREEZE AND
ENHANCE THE
IMAGE!

I STILL DON'T
GET IT!

LOOK AT
IT UPSIDE
DOWN...
AHA!



SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

STANDS NO CHANCE AGAINST THE
ALL NEW, ALL DIFFERENT

MECHA-SONIC!™

"GO AHEAD...
MECHA MY
DAY!"

PART 3

I HOPE YOU'RE
HUNGRY, BECAUSE I'M
GONNA MAKE YOU SWALLOW
BOTH OF THOSE LOGOS!

THE ONLY THING YOU'RE
GOING TO DO IS EAT MY
DUST... *STAR*DUST THAT
IS... AS I HEAD THROUGH
THE *STAR*DUST SPEEDWAY
ZONE! YOUR TWO LITTLE
FRIENDS ARE WAITING FOR
ME AT THE FINISH LINE!

I WONDER IF IT
WOULD BE FASTER TO
DOUBLE BACK AND... WHOOP!
BAG THAT IDEA-- HERE
COMES JELLYBELLY!

SONIC!

HELP!

THAT MAKES
AN EASY DECISION
EVEN EASIER! COMIN'
AT YOU, BUCKETHEAD!

SNORT!

:snicker: MECHA
SONIC HAS ENGAGED
THE HEDGEHOG!

OH BOOHOO
HOOO :sob:
WAHHHH!!!

WHAT'S
WRONG, AMY
ROSE?

BACK IN
KNOTHOLE:

IT SEEMS THAT SONIC
HAS ENTERED ANOTHER
ZONE... ITS ENERGY FIELD
IS INTERFERING WITH
HIS SONICAM!

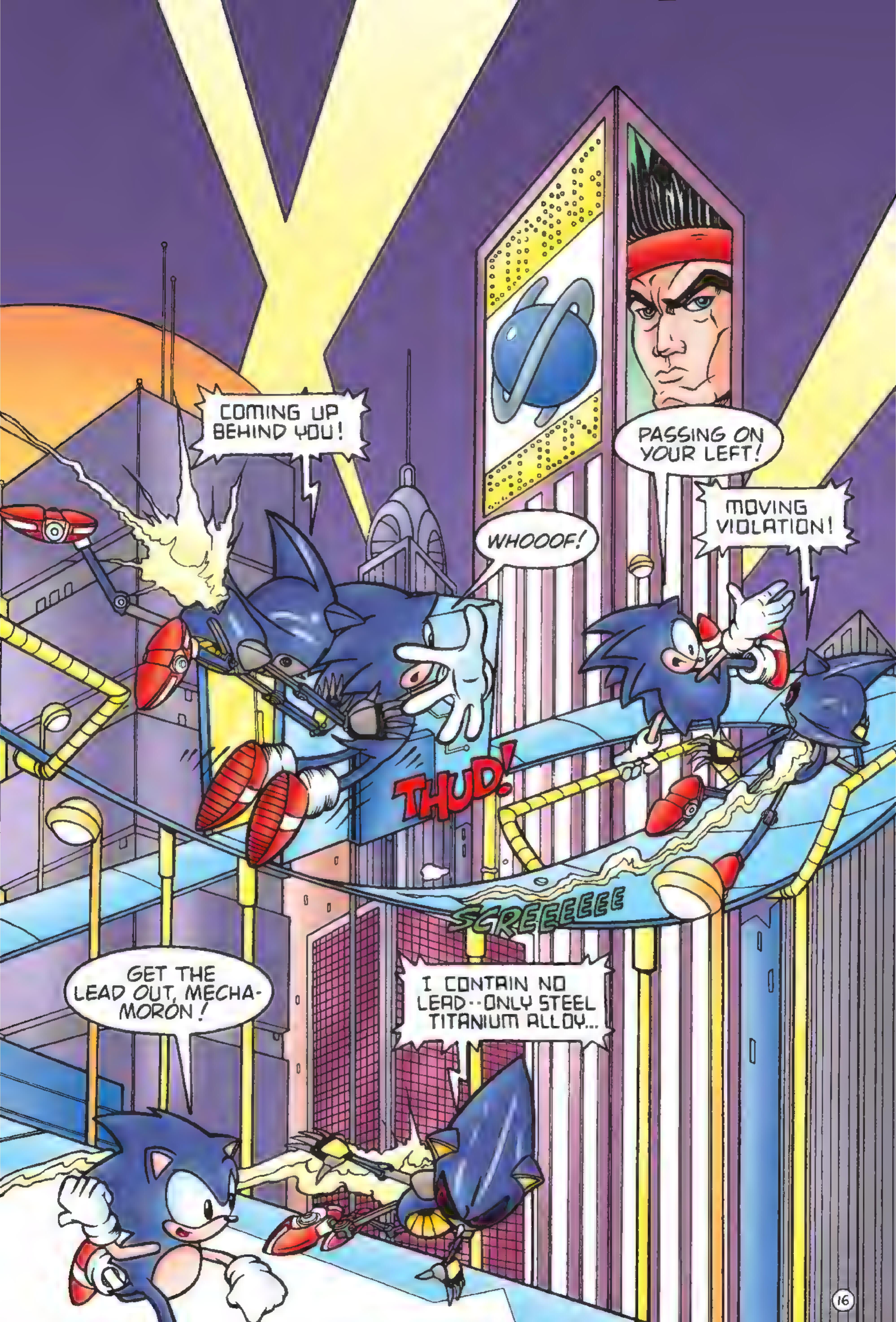
TRY AND GET
A FIX ON HIS LAST
LOCATION -- IT'S
TIME FOR ACTION!

**AND IN THE STARDUST
SPEEDWAY ZONE . . .**

HOPE YOU DON'T
MIND IF I GET A
JUMP ON YOU,
METALHEAD!

BWOING!

SORRY...THIS
IS A ONE-LANE
EXIT RAMP...



AT THAT MOMENT, UP AHEAD AT THE FINISH LINE:

I'LL HANDLE THE EXPLANATION AND SPEECH-MAKING, CRABMEAT! NOW CHECK THE LETTERING ON THE STRIPE!

EVERYTHING IS IN PERFECT ORDER, OH KING CHOLESTEROL! SHOULD SONIC SURVIVE THE STARDUST ZONE...

WELL?

IT'S PERFECT!
IT SPELLS:
"FINISH"!

IT'S :CHORTLE: SLICKER THAN OIL ON SALT WATER! SHOULD SONIC SURVIVE THE STARDUST ZONE, HE'LL RUN UNDER THIS FINAL ARCHWAY...

...AND BE SMUSHED!

THAT WAY,
EVEN IF SONIC WINS...

HE LOSES!

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

GIVE IT UP! YOU MUST BE EXHAUSTED BY NOW!

"GO AHEAD...
MECHA MY
DAY!"

PART 4

NO WAY, SAN JOSE! NOTHING WILL SLOW ME DOWN!

OH NO? WHAT IF THE MECHA-SONIC YOU WERE JUST TALKING TO WAS A HOLOGRAM-- AND THE *REAL* ME WAS WAITING TO AMBUSH YOU?!

UMF! THAT MIGHT DO IT!

KRRP!



HERE COMES THE HOME STRETCH, HEDGEHOG--HAVE YOU GOT WHAT IT TAKES?

YOU BETCHA, CREEP!
I'VE BEEN WORKING
ON THIS NEW MOVE
FOR A WHILE...

THE FIGURE
EIGHT SUPER
PEEL-OUT!

ONCE I DO
IT, I MOVE AT
WARP SPEED!

I SHALL
PURSUE!

SONIC'S CURRENT SPEED IS AT A
LEVEL NEVER BEFORE ACHIEVED!
BZZT MUST--EXERT--BEYOND--
SQUEE MAXIMUM!

MALFUNCTION! HEAT
GENERATED BY SPEED
AND FRICTION IS MELTING
MY METAL LEGS!

WHEEEEEEED

BOOM!

IF YOU CAN'T
TASTE THE CHILI DOGS,
STAY OUT OF THE
KITCHEN!

SURRENDER,
SNIVELY!

OKAY!
OKAY!

UMF! OH NO!
SONIC WENT THROUGH
THE ARCH -- I MISSED
MY CHANCE!

GET AWAY
FROM THAT BUTTON,
ROBOTNIK!

MY
HERO!

OUR
HERO!

YES! THE
CROWD GOES
WILD!

BAH! IT'S
NOT FAIR! MY
PLAN WAS SO
FOOLPROOF...
=WHINE=

WHAT? THAT
DEVICE HOUSED IN
THE ARCH? I SAW
IT COMING A MILE
AWAY!

QUIT YOUR,
BELLYACHING... I'LL
STAND UNDER IT
IF IT'LL MAKE
YOU HAPPY...

OKAY,
CHUBSY-ÜBSY...
FIRE AWAY!

Y-YOU WUH-
WILL?...

INDEED I
SHALL...

MISSED
ME! NYUK!
NYUK!

GAME,
SET AND
MATCH!

NO! IT'S
IMPOSSIBLE!

BUT I PERSONALLY
DESIGNED THIS DEVICE!
WHAT WENT WRONG?

